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Senators told budget would cripple health care

By Martin Richter
Staff writer

A joint Senate committee heard dire warnings from health care professionals and township supervisors when it held a hearing Thursday in Belleville on proposed cuts in the state budget.

The hearing, the first of three to be held on the fiscal 1992 budget, was at Belleville's Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows.

The joint hearing of the Appropriations I and Appropriations II committees drew a steady stream of hospital administrators, township supervisors, pharmacists, dentists and general assistance workers, nearly all of whom protested cuts proposed by Gov. Jim Edgar in the state

budget.

Sen. Ken Hall, D-East St. Louis, chairman of the Senate Appropriations II Committee, chaired the three-hour hearing. He said the joint committee also will hear testimony in Chicago April 9 and in Decatur April 19.

House and Senate committees will come up with their own budget bills and must hammer out a compromise bill by June 30, Hall said. Edgar, who submitted his budget earlier this month, has line-item veto power.

Hall was one of eight senators at the hearing. Also in attendance were: Sen. Frank Watson, D-Carlyle; Sen. Sam Vadalabene, D-Edwardsville; Sen. Vince DeRubeis, D-Carlinville; Sen. William O'Daniel, D-Mount Vernon; Sen. James Rea,

D-Christian; Sen. Ralph Dunn, R-DuQuoin; and Sen. Margaret Smith, D-Chicago.

On Friday, Hall said he sympathized with the funding problems experienced by those who testified Thursday. However, he said the "bottom line" will be coming up with the money needed to fund the state programs they rely on.

"They just don't understand that the state's not actually broke, but we have to figure out how we're going to distribute this money," he said. "Our mail runs like this — 'I want you to do this' — and then comes the bottom line, 'no tax increase.'"

"That's why we're out in the hinterland," Vadalabene said. "It's important for us to hear

some of these first-hand accounts of what is going on out there, so we can set some priorities."

Among area hospital administrators testifying against Edgar's proposed cuts in hospital services were Gerald Harman, chief executive officer of St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville and chairman of the state Hospital Association; St. Mary's Hospital CEO Charles Windsor; Centerville Township Hospital CEO Mark Brouder; and Administrator George Maroney of Memorial Hospital in Carbon-

dale. This budget would bring total depression to the health care delivery system in Illinois, and it would take years for it to recover," Harman said. "This budget

would deprive the poor of access to care, would cost hundreds of health care jobs in this area alone, and thousands in the state."

The administrators all said they are already facing problems with inadequate and delayed Medicaid reimbursement payments, and that Edgar's proposed budget would increase that problem.

A representative of the Illinois Pharmacists Association testified that inadequate and untimely Medicaid payments also are harming pharmacy owners. He said the budget "could sound a financial death knell for many pharmacies."

The owner of one of those pharmacies, Jim Eisele of Carcaseville, testified that he has

felt the Medicaid crunch. "It's getting difficult for me to pay my bills," he said. "I just don't take a salary for a few months. Luckily, I haven't had to borrow money yet."

Testifying against Edgar's proposal to restructure the state's general assistance program were supervisors of many area townships, including East St. Louis, Canton, Belleville, Centerville and Stites Township.

East St. Louis Supervisor Will McGaughey spoke for that group and for general assistance recipients in this area.

"Too often, people look at general assistance (recipients) as wine heads, dope addicts and drunks," said McGaughey, who is a former general assistance recipient. "That's not the case."

Area financial seminar being investigated as scam

By Dennis Grubaugh
Staff writer

Several residents have agreed to tell the Attorney General's Office what they know about an Our Father's Congregation seminar held March 5 at the Collinsville Holiday Inn.

The seminar is believed to have been part of a wide-ranging scam that used the guise of religion to bulk participants here and elsewhere out of possibly thousands of dollars, said Dennis Orsey, assistant Illinois attorney general and director of the attorney general's Granite City regional office.

Approximately 180 persons were at the Collinsville seminar.

"We're trying to identify these individuals and get them to come forward. If there is money recovered, we can get this money to them," Orsey said.

Attorney General Roland W. Burris on March 12 filed suit against a Texas-based organization he claimed was peddling illegal securities, loans and insurance in Illinois.

The suit, filed in Circuit Court of Cook County, alleged that Our Father's Congregation (OFC) of Houston, Texas, violated the state's Consumer Fraud Act and the Deceptive Trade Practices Act by offering interest-free loans and by attempting to sell securities and insurance to a group of more than 100 people at

a March 7 Rosemont, Ill., seminar.

Undercover investigators from the state attorney general's office listened to the pitch by a representative of OFC at Rosemont before approaching the podium and handing the man a subpoena.

Burris obtained a temporary injunction against further operation of OFC in Illinois, and expects to go back to court Thursday, April 4, for a permanent injunction, Orsey said.

After the suit was filed, the attorney general learned of the seminar held in Collinsville, Orsey added.

"The Chicago office (of the attorney general) thought all the

activity was concentrated up there, but then they heard about the seminar down here," Orsey said.

Several individuals have come forward, and we are anticipating more," he said of the local case. They are really spread out throughout Metro East."

Even if persons didn't invest money at the Collinsville seminar, the state office would still like to interview them, Orsey said.

The seminars were "cloaked in religion and the church," he said, including opening the meetings with prayer. OFC has done business under a variety of other names, including Church of God-

Houston. Representatives of OFC claimed to be a nonprofit "Christian credit union" and exploited the church's religious affiliation to generate an aura of legitimacy, the state said.

In addition to the injunction, two things are sought in the suit: all money paid by consumers be refunded and any contracts rescinded, and a \$50,000 civil penalty be levied for each violation of the Consumer Fraud Act.

Burris said four employees of Our Father's Congregation, including its founder, Melvin White, have been convicted of civil and criminal charges in Texas and Wisconsin in connection with the illegal sale of securities, insurance and real estate.

OFC also allegedly violated the Consumer Fraud Act by asking its "members" to provide names of other prospective members.

"It really has aspects of a pyramid investment scam to it," Orsey said, because loans were supposedly being offered in exchange for deposits.

According to the loan program, individuals put in a percentage of the money they wish to loan — either 5 percent or 10 percent — depending on the kind of loan. They are also required to become an "associate member" and purchase a minimum of \$300 in "character insurance."

Burglary of Fresh Warehouse alleged

EDWARDSVILLE — A Quad City area resident has been named in a felony warrant issued in late March by Madison County State's Attorney William Haine.

Charles Haynes Jr., 26, of Bissell Street, Venice, was charged with one count of burglary. The charge stems from the March 10 burglary of Fresh Warehouse Inc., 1226 Bissell St., Venice. Bond was set at \$30,000.

Marijuana charge filed

Michael Topal, 25, of Granite City was charged with possession of between 2.5 and 10 grams of marijuana after he was arrested by Collinsville police at 1:44 a.m. March 9 at Indiana and Vandavia.

Area here among those not in fire protection district

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

PONTOON BEACH — A small number of residents in unincorporated areas between Alton and East Alton and another area near Pontoon Beach may not be aware that they do not belong to a fire protection district, authorities say.

Members of the Madison County 911 Emergency Telephone System Board discussed the "no man's land" areas this month and how such areas of the county would affect the standing operating procedures for the 911 system.

The system will come on-line

in December for all county residents. Currently, only Edwardsville and Highland have the 911 service.

"I don't know what you're going to put in the SOP to tell a (dispatcher) to say," said Godfrey Fire Chief Terry Ford, chairman of the 911 board.

Ford said a comprehensive fire protection plan bill that was passed last year requires that a countywide referendum be held before the County Board assigns unprotected areas to a fire protection district.

Previously, the landowner was allowed to decide whether or not to belong to a fire protection district, Ford said.

"Most people (in those areas) are unaware that they don't have fire protection," he said. The only way to find out is if they called for the fire department and no one came."

Ford said very few residents are currently residing in either of the two areas. However, he said the severity of the situation would increase as other developments appear in those areas.

"Years ago you'd go wherever (the fire) was at, but that's not the case any longer," Ford said.

Members of the board agreed to discuss the matter further and to consider a referendum for the November ballot.

Jim Monday, county administrator, said the board has until August to decide.

In other action, members decided to develop an upcoming meeting to discuss the 911 coordinator's position. Monday was instructed to have copies of a job description made for each member so that changes could be made as needed.

Monday mentioned concerns voiced during the March meeting of the County Board regarding the 911 system.

"There is some concern as to who is actually going to hire this person, although this board (911) basically has that authority," Monday said.

Ford said he thought that fill-

ing that position should be a coordinated effort with the County Board. Members agreed.

Monday said a coordinator ideally should be on board some time in June, a full month before the county's 911 equipment is expected to arrive.

The board is still considering two bids for the emergency telecommunications equipment, from Motorola and Emergi-Tech.

Financial information that would make it possible to compare the two bids has been unavailable, causing a delay in that decision, project consultants said.

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IP: Ruling justifies rate hike

Illinois Power Co. officials say a recent court decision justifies the utility's request to pass on to ratepayers the rest of its investment in the Clinton nuclear power plant.

Chief financial officer Larry Altenbaumer contended that a Feb. 8 decision by the 3rd Appellate Court justified including the rest of the Clinton cost.

The utility filed a request two weeks ago with the Illinois Commerce Commission for a 17.1 percent rate increase. The ICC has 11 months to act on the request so a decision is unlikely until next February.

In its ruling, the court disagreed with the commission's rate order last June that found only about 60 percent of the Clinton plant could be considered "used and useful" under the

state Public Utility Act.

The court agreed with Illinois Power that all of the plant was now serving customers and should be part of the rate base.

Altenbaumer added that even if the ICC's stricter standard for measuring Clinton's use were used, the plant now qualifies to be fully included in the company's rates.

Under previous rate hikes, about \$2 billion of IP's total investment of about \$3.8 billion in Clinton was passed on to customers.

Citizens Utility Board executive director Sue Stewart, however, said she believes the Illinois Supreme Court will overturn the appellate court decision.

Clinton began operating in April 1987 but went through shut-

downs in 1989 and 1990. Altenbaumer conceded the plant had performed below expectations but said it has since improved.

He said the company wanted to "write the final chapter on Clinton" and end the long debate over passing its costs on to customers.

If the ICC grants IP the full increase it is requesting, the company does not expect to have to seek another rate increase for at least five years, Altenbaumer said.

The firm was granted rate increases in May 1989 and June 1990.

Altenbaumer said the company has not paid any dividends on common stock since May 1989, and shareholders have lost about \$400 million in dividends.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Parole agents to protest cuts

Parole agents across the state will be urging the Legislature next month to slap the cuffs on Gov. Jim Edgar's plan to lay off 80 percent of their ranks.

Petitions began circulating recently encouraging legislators to oppose cuts in Edgar's proposed budget.

"Every agent in every (parole) office is working on this," said Tom Barton, a parole officer in Aurora and organizer of the petition drive. Barton said he expects petitioners to collect about 300,000 signatures.

The State of Illinois Parole Agents' Association for Public Safety, which represents 213 parole officers statewide, is also considering hiring lobbyists, Barton said.

The petitions will be presented to lawmakers when they return to Springfield in two weeks. The General Assembly must act on the governor's budget proposal by June 30.

Edgar proposed laying off 114 of 141 adult parole officers and 60 of 72 juvenile officers, a move that is expected to save the state \$10 million, according to Nic Howell, a Corrections Department spokesman.

Howard Peters, who was named as the new Corrections director March 26, said an "intense pre-release effort" will include counseling and referring inmates to social agencies within the community after their

release.

"We've got everybody from the human services end to the law enforcement end behind us on this one because we wear both hats," Barton said.

Organizations that have pledged support for the petition drive include the Illinois Sheriffs' Association, Christians for Better Government and the Hospital Corp. of America, which owns a number of mental health facilities in northern Illinois.

The governor's cuts would leave 39 parole agents in charge of more than 17,000 parolees statewide. The cuts would take place July 1, the beginning of the fiscal year.

The East St. Louis Parole Office, which is responsible for more than 300 parolees in Madison County, is probably in for a even be shut down, a union official said.

"If there is still an office in East St. Louis (after July 1), it's going to be very thinly manned," said Tom Taul, a spokesman for American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees Local 1805, which represents the seven parole agents at the East St. Louis office.

Howell said the decision on where the layoffs will occur has not been made yet and laid-off parole officers may be eligible for other Corrections positions, depending on seniority.

But Taul said the officers will have difficulty finding work since most other state agencies doing social work are cutting back.

Officers at the East St. Louis office are taking part in the petition drive, according to Julie Davinroy, a parole agent in East St. Louis.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Correction

An account of a two-car accident in Wednesday's edition contained an error. A Granite City man was charged with failure to yield Friday afternoon after his car hit another in the intersection of Maryville and Morrison roads. The driver of the other car, Paula S. Koskie, 32, of Miami Court in Granite City was traveling south

on Maryville Road when the other car pulled out from Morrison, unaware of the Koskie vehicle. After the initial contact, Koskie's car continued on, knocked down a wooden-post street sign and ended up on an electrical post guy wire, with the nose of the car pointed downward. Some of that information was unclear in the previous article.

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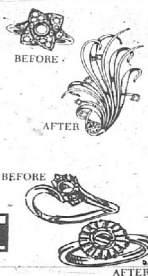
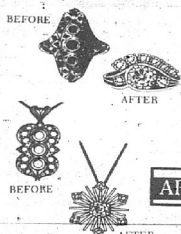
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WORK BEGINS ON NAMEOKI ROAD: George Smith, left, and Dennis Smith, laborers with Hanks Excavation of Belleville, place a cover on a storm sewer drain close to the intersection of Nameoki Road and Jill Avenue. Storm drains are the first phase of a project that will widen Nameoki Road, adding a middle turning lane and new traffic lights.

(Staff photo by Pam Doepe-Hürd)

Melucci may run for circuit clerk

One of U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello's aides may join the race for Madison County circuit clerk. Matt Melucci, 47, of Collinsville, said he will decide within the next two months if he will run in the March 1992 Democratic primary.

"I think it's a little inappropriate to talk about it until I make a formal announcement," Melucci said. "I'm exploring the possibility and I'm talking to people."

Circuit Clerk Willard "Butch" Portell, 74, said he doesn't plan to seek an eighth term as circuit clerk.

Melucci started in Costello's Washington office in 1988 and was transferred to Costello's Granite City office in December 1990.

Melucci has worked with Madison County officials since 1975, when he became the county's first director of administration. Melucci served as director of the East-West Gateway Coordinating Council from 1979 to 1983.

From the Alton Telegraph

Vehicle stickers on sale

Granite City vehicle stickers will be available beginning April 1, according to City Clerk Bob Stevens.

Stickers cost \$5 for cars, and \$3 for motorcycles. The cost for trucks is based on vehicle weight, ranging from \$10 to \$31.

Cost for senior citizens and disabled is \$1 per vehicle, per family. Disabled residents must have proof of their disability. Disabled veterans may purchase stickers for \$1, and must have their registration card, drivers licenses and proof of disability.

Citizens must bring vehicle registration card and driver license. Stickers are on sale at the following locations:

- City Hall, 2000 Edison Avenue;
- City Clerk's office, Room 1;
- Magna Bank, 20th Street at Edison;
- Belleme Village Shopping Center, Pontoon and Maryville roads;
- Central Bank, 24th Street and Madison Avenue, and Fehling Road and Nameoki Road;
- 1st Bank of Illinois, 3690 Nameoki Road

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RE-ELECT MAC WARFIELD ☒ **PUNCH #9**
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City to emphasize neutering

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY—The City Council adopted a resolution March 19 establishing April as "Prevent a Litter" month.

The focus is to prevent unwanted puppies and stray cats from roaming the city.

Alderman Judy Whitaker, chairman of the city's Sanitation Committee, said, "We are trying hard to educate people on the importance of taking care of their pets. The humane department works very hard at returning pets to their owners."

"We are starting an adoption program," Whitaker said, "and information will soon be available around town, at grocery stores for example, regarding where pet owners can get their dog or cat spayed or neutered."

According to information provided by the Humane Society of the United States, communities

spend millions of dollars to control and eliminate unwanted animals.

To reduce waste of taxpayers' dollars, and to provide a humane alternative to the problem, the Humane Society urges all pet owners to have their dog or cat spayed or neutered.

Whitaker said the city is also negotiating with Madison County to provide arrangements to have confiscated animals transported to the county facility for adoption or euthanasia.

The city's method of destroying unreclaimed pets by means of a decompression procedure has recently come under fire from animal groups and a St. Louis television station. While the method is legal, and no official agency has called it "inhumane," the city wishes to provide the best solution to the pet overpopulation problem, Whitaker said.

The city's Animal Control

department handles about 2,000 stray animals per year, according to City Inspector Vince Scrum. Of those, only about 200 are reclaimed or adopted. By law, stray animals not reclaimed or adopted within five days must be destroyed.

According to Humane Society statistics, more than 12 million dogs, cats, puppies and kittens are turned in to animal shelters around the country each year.

The Humane Society urges the following actions:

Have your pet spayed or neutered.

According to the Humane Society, spayed and neutered pets live longer, healthier lives. They also claim that spayed and neutered pets are more affectionate and less likely to bite.

Keep your pet at home. This will prevent unwanted breeding and protect animals from becoming lost or stolen. Urge family and friends to do the same.



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Obituaries

Doneff

Josephine (Kalinowski) Doneff, 75, of Granite City died at 7 a.m. Friday, March 29, 1991, at her home. She had been ill for 12 years.

Born Aug. 27, 1915, in East Chicago, Ind., she resided in Granite City for 35 years. Mrs. Doneff was a homemaker and member of Holy Family Catholic Church.

Survivors include her husband, Michael Doneff; one son, Robert Doneff of Granite City; two daughters, Gloria Doneff of St. Louis and Patricia Theil of Midland, Mich.; two sisters, Ann Novich of O'Fallon and Marie Lukac of Fairview Heights; eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Joseph and Anna Kalinowski.

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. today (Sunday) at Mercer Mortuaries, 1316 Niedringhaus Ave. Funeral services will be held at 9 a.m. Monday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2606 Washington Ave., with the Rev. Bill Fischer officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates near Edwardsville.

Wilson

Emily Wilson, 75, of Centerville died Saturday, March 23, 1991, at Jewish Hospital, St. Louis.

Mrs. Wilson was born April 5, 1915, in Washington County, Miss., and was a resident of Metro East area for many years.

She was a member of the Macedonia Baptist Church, East St. Louis, and Electa Chapter 28, Order of the Eastern Star.

Among the survivors are her husband, David Wilson of Centerville; three brothers, Adam Ellis of Cahokia, Jackson Ellis of Philadelphia and Jerry Watkins of St. Petersburg, Fla.; and two sisters, Frances Thomas of Madison and Liza Ellis.

Funeral services were held Friday at the Macedonia Baptist Church, with the Rev. Norman E. Owens Sr. officiating. Burial was in Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt. Officer Funeral Home, East St. Louis, was in charge of the arrangements.

Kernan

John Noel Kernan Sr., 76, of Edgewood died at 11:40 a.m. Tuesday, March 26, 1991, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville.

Mr. Kernan was a past school board president of the former School District 182, a former Alton deputy marshal and former city treasurer of Alton.

He was a veteran of the armed forces and a member of the railroad brotherhood and American Association of Retired Persons.

Survivors include two daughters, Betty Boyce of Granite City and Barbara Campbell of Edgewood; five sons, John N. Kernan Jr. of Matthews, Va., Ronald Kernan of Belleville, Robert Kernan of Tilden, Ill., David Kernan of New Athens and Raymond S. Kernan of Collinsville; one sister, Harriet Jones of Farmington, Ill.; one brother, Bob Kernan of Arnold, Mo.; 25 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Elsie Grace (Hawthorne) Kernan, who died June 19, 1989, and two brothers, Bill Kernan and Walter Kernan.

Visitation was held Thursday at Kassy Colonial Chapel, Fairview Heights, where services were held Friday, March 29, at Walnut Hill Cemetery, Belleville.

Quillin

Any Quillin of Granite City was stillborn at 4:08 a.m. Thursday, March 29, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Survivors include her parents, Odie and Marlo (Baker) Quillin; grandparents, James Quillin of Hickory, Tenn., Anita Quillin of Granite City and Tom and Pauline Baker of Judsonia, Ark.; and great-grandparents, Nancy and Brooks of Granite City, Tom and Connie Baker of Judsonia, Louise Justine of Granite City and Opal Quillin of Hornsboro, Mo.

There was no visitation. Graveside services were held at Saturday at the cemetery in Granite City, with the Rev. Orlando Hale officiating. Werner Chapel for Funerals, Pontoon Beach, was in charge of the arrangements.

Welsh

Ellie "Bollinger" (Stone) Welsh, 73, of Granite City, formerly of Manila, Ark., died at 10:45 p.m. March 29, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Mrs. Welsh was born Feb. 28, 1918, in St. Louis; she had resided in Granite City for 27 years. She was a housewife.

She was a member of the Baptist Faith.

Survivors include her husband, Homer Welsh; one brother, Theodore Stone of Manila, Ark.; one sister, Clark McKeel Branch of Granite City; three nieces, Neva Lester of Collinsville, June McAlister of Granite City and Nancy Maxwell of Fairview Heights.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Elmer Bollinger, who died June 24, 1984; and one brother, Benny Stone.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Monday, April 1, at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Avenue, Granite City. Services will be in Manila, Ark.

Jerry Coons

Jerry William Coons, 44, of Granite City died at about 7:40 a.m. Thursday, March 28, 1991, at DePaul Hospital, St. Louis.

Mr. Coons resided most of his life in Granite City. He was born on Dec. 14, 1946, in St. Louis.

A U.S. Army veteran, he was employed as a waiter at Charlie's Restaurant in Overland, Mo. He was of the Baptist faith.

Mr. Coons and his wife, Frances, were married on Sept. 24, 1968.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Tammy Prestito, Granite City, and Lisa Anne Coons, Caseyville; a son, Wayne Douglas Coons, Houston; a sister, Bernice Gully, on June 1, 1987; and a son, Charles Phillips, in 1988.

Visitation begins at 3 p.m. today (Sunday) at Kassy Colonial Chapel, 9900 St. Clair Ave., Fairview Heights, where services will take place Monday (time pending) with Pastor Randy Davis officiating. Burial will be in Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville.

The family requests memorials to St. Louis Children's Hospital or Hospice of Southern Illinois, Belleville.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Josephine; and a brother, Robert Martin.

Visitation will start at 5 p.m. today (Sunday) at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2206 Pontoon Road, where services will take place at 8 p.m. today. Cremation will follow.

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By Steve Horrell
Staff writer

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Plant

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percent, according to Robinson officials.

Minor explained that the Robinson Processing System produces a flat sheet and plate completely free of shape defects.

In fact, she said, Robinson is the only processor in the U.S. that guarantees permanent shape correction in hot-rolled steel.

Because flat sheet steel originates as a raw steel coil, Minor explained, a phenomenon known as "coil memory" where the steel tends to resume its original shape when stresser results.

But the Robinson process, by means of up-to six-million pounds of force, slightly reduces the thickness of the plate, thereby eliminating the coil memory.

Minor said the process results in significant increases in productivity, virtually perfect end-products, and higher profits for users.

The sheet and plate processed by Robinson are used to make metal buildings, rail cars, con-

veyors, material-handling equipment, school buses, control panels and tractor cabs.

Robinson's customers include Caterpillar and John Deere.

The plant will be financed by \$9 million in tax-exempt bonds issued through the Southwestern Illinois Development Authority.

The bonds are to be sold later this year.

Granite City Mayor Von Deere, who had lunch with a Robinson official in late March, said he thinks the Port District will be the most likely site for the Robinson plant.

He said the location is symbolic of an area that he thinks is prime for growth in the coming years and that should be marketed heavily.

Cruse said recently he would like to see the Port District annexed to Granite City because the city could best serve the needs of the district.

Currently, the port is located in an unincorporated area of Venice Township. Cruse hopes to meet with the mayors of Venice and Madison soon to discuss the topic.

Rally

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civic causes. It recently played a benefit for the USO.

The DARE benefit is open to the public and should be enjoyable for all who attend, the sponsors said. Admission is \$10 per person and all proceeds will be contributed to the Pontoon Beach DARE Program.

State Rep. Sam Wolf, Granite City Mayor Von Deere and representatives of veterans' medical centers are among the accepting invitations to toast the Welcome Home Desert Storm Rally at the Village Hall. A letter will be read from U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello.

Area military personnel who have arrived home from the Persian Gulf are invited to participate as special honored guests.

A plaque honoring veterans of all wars and inscribed with the insignia of the Desert Storm armed services will be presented and placed in the Village Hall, according to Police Sgt. Daniel

McKinney. Deputy Clerk Mary Rowden, Village Clerk Mary Warren, Audrey Ribbing, Jerry Warren and Janet Barringer are in charge of arrangements for the rally.

More than 16 servicemen from Pontoon Beach were involved in Operation Desert Storm. One young Marine already has returned home or a short time and is heading back to the Gulf region, McKinney said Thursday.

McKinney said he was ready to mail when he heard he was on his way home.

He said he got engaged while he was home. He's already left for Camp Lejeune and will be taking a ship heading back to the Mediterranean, McKinney said.

Anyone wishing further information about the Desert Storm rally may contact Sgt. McKinney at 931-0738.

Decision

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"Things are going fantastic," Antonovich said of his canvassing efforts. "People know what's going on."

Antonovich said that if he should win the election he would have his first act in the Supreme Court if he had to.

Always before I had strong competition, Antonovich said of his two prior bids for alderman. "Now that they think I've got a chance, I'm getting a lot of support."

Before hearing Hildebrand's argument Thursday, Stack lauded the efforts of both Hildebrand and Antonovich in their persistence with the case. But even before the ruling came, Hildebrand seemed certain the efforts were in vain.

Unfortunately, those efforts are going to go to help (Antonovich) become an alderman in the city where he lives or thought he lived until this all came about," Hildebrand said.

Hildebrand further argued that the Feb. 4 hearing had an "obvious" bias.

"They said: 'We're going to have a fair trial before we have a hanging,'" Hildebrand said.

The only reason the hearing was held was to give an official seal to the plan to run Mr. Antonovich out of town.

The electoral board hearing was held after Alderman Jim Caffrey filed an objection to Antonovich's candidacy.

Much of the controversy in the case surrounded Antonovich's

testimony that he slept in an upper area of the building's front section, a piece which is within Madison boundaries.

Antonovich said he slept there to keep watch on business property he owns across the street.

"The two-story building in question becomes one-story in the rear section where the living quarters and property which is within Granite City limits."

Casper Nighoshian, city attorney, said he did not believe the testimony regarding his sleeping arrangements to be "severely lacking" in truth.

Stack agreed.

"I found it difficult to believe myson that normal American man like Mr. Antonovich would live on a different floor in a different corner of the building than his wife and child," Stack said.

Based on that assessment, Hildebrand said he would advise Antonovich to move his wife and child into an upper room of the building so that he would be a resident of Madison in time for the next election.

Stack confessed that the ruling was unpleasant.

"I don't like to see anybody not get to vote or not get to get involved in the technicality," Stack said. "But (Antonovich) cannot vote there (ward 2) and run for office there if it is challenged, and this time it was challenged."

Medical center offers OptiTrim

St. Elizabeth Medical Center's Weight Management Program can help get you ready for summer. They've added another approach to weight-loss plans — The OptiTrim Program.

To make it even more convenient, OptiTrim classes are now available at the medical center's Edwardsville campus, 1123 University Drive, as well as at the Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, in Granite City.

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Lunette Bloomquist Bloomquist

Lunette A. (Schumacher) Bloomquist, 67, a longtime resident of Granite City, died at 11 p.m. Thursday, March 28, 1991, at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis. Ill. since November, she was in the hospital four days.

Born Sept. 14, 1903, in Marissa, Mrs. Bloomquist resided in Granite City for the past 61 years. She was a homemaker and a member of First Presbyterian Church.

Among the survivors are a son, Wayne E. Bloomquist of Berkeley, Calif.; a daughter, Patricia Smith of Chesterfield, Mo.; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Her husband, Earl E. Bloomquist, died in 1985 and a son, Donald Bloomquist, died in December 1990.

Visitation will take place from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Tuesday by the Rev. John Marshall. Burial will be at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville.

The family suggests memorials to First Presbyterian Church in Granite City.

Weber

Ruby (Mitchell) Phillips Weber, 82, of Fairmont City died Thursday, March 28, 1991, at her residence.

Mrs. Weber was a former employee of Continental Can Co., East St. Louis, for seven years. She was a member of Sterling Baptist Church in Fairview Heights.

Among the survivors are her husband, Norman Weber of Fairmont City, a son, Elmer Phillips of Success, Mo.; a daughter, Mary Ann-Rhinecker of Fairview Heights; a sister in Granite City and a sister and brother in southern Illinois; 12 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Elmer Phillips; a daughter, Bernice Gully, on June 1, 1987; and a son, Charles Phillips, in 1978.

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County Urban League to mark 13 years of service

The Madison County Urban League Inc. will celebrate 13 years of service to Madison County at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 3, in the Meridian Ballroom of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The dinner theme is "Those Making a Difference."

The event is the Madison County Urban League's largest annual fund-raising event. A spokesman said, "We encourage all to support the Urban League in its efforts to make a difference."

Dr. Earl Lazerson, president of SIUE, will be the guest speaker.

One of the award recipients to be honored is George L. Smith of the Quad City area. Smith serves on a number of boards, advisory councils and task forces and is active in the Tri-Cities Area United Way and the River Bluffs Girl Scout Council.

Smith also is associated with Program and Services for Older Persons, Madonians Against Drug Abuse, the Dunbar Alumni Association and the Concerned Citizens.

He serves as coordinator of activities for the Farrar-Terrell Senior Citizens.

The public is invited to share



George L. Smith
... award winner

in the celebration. A social hour will begin at 5:30 p.m. and dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$25 each, and tables of eight are welcomed.

For tickets, the Urban League office can be called at 432-5394.

All proceeds will assist the Urban League in providing social and community services to residents of Madison County.



(Staff photo by Pam Doepke-Hurd)

ROSE STERN, left, and Angela Hudson model clothes from Tops & Bottoms that will be part of the sixth annual fashion show and brunch of the Women's Division of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce. The event will be held Saturday at Sunset Hills Country Club.

Style show Saturday

Spring is here and the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce Women's Division is sponsoring its sixth annual style show and brunch.

Latest spring fashions for women and children will be featured Saturday, April 6, at 11 a.m. at Sunset Hills Country Club, Edwardsville.

A brunch will be served, followed by fashions from 11 area merchants. The cost per person will be \$14. Tickets are available at Tops & Bottoms, 1343 19th St.; Kokomo Tans, 2126 Ponton Road; Mail Service Plus, 1369 Niedringhaus Ave.; and the Chamber office, 1831 Delmar Ave.

Tickets can also be obtained from members of the Women's Division.

Proceeds from the style show/brunch are used to support the Women's Division's Christmas party for underprivileged children and for beautification projects.

Participating merchants are Beans and Jeans, Cameo Coutures, Fashion Gal, Glik's, Kokomo Tans, and Tops and Bottoms in Granite City; Ann Patrice Shop in Collinsville; and Inge's Bridal, Mary Ann Shop, Plum Pretty and Sandy's Ltd. in Edwardsville.

Parents, teachers to confer

Coolidge Junior High School will hold its spring parent-teacher conferences Thursday, April 4, and Friday, April 5.

Principal James Jeffries said teachers, administrators and the counselor will be available for conferences Thursday from 1 to 4 p.m. and from 5 to 8 p.m. Conferences on Friday will be held from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and from 12:30 p.m. until 3 p.m.

To allow parents an opportunity to see all teachers, conferences will be limited to 15 minutes. If a longer conference is necessary, it may be scheduled for another time.

Parents may pick up their child's report card at the table located inside the school's front entrance prior to visiting the teachers, Jeffries said.

Appointments for conferences are not being made, but plans call for a minimum of waiting time.

Questions asked by a teacher by parents may focus on such topics as — Does my child work up to his potential? Does he relate well to his/her peers and to adults? Does my child use his/her time at school wisely? Does my child enjoy school?

Teachers may ask a parent — Does your child talk about school at home? Does your child have a quiet place in which to do his/her homework? What type of discipline do you find effective with your child? What are your expectations for your child? What would you like to tell me about your child?

The conferences are designed for parents only, but some teachers may ask for a student to accompany his/her parents.

Students should not accompany their parents unless specifically requested to do so by an individual teacher, the principal said.

Library, park and some city candidates are unopposed

Uncontested Quad City candidates in the April 1 election include (incumbents are denoted by *):

Granite City Council 2nd Ward (alderman) — one candidate for one position:

1) James Miller*

Granite City Library District Board (trustee) — six candidates for seven positions:

1) James R. Schmiedake*

2) Kathy Schillinger

3) Mary Jo Akeman*

4) Marcelline Williams*

5) Wilma Tongay

6) Ronald Coleman*

7) no candidate filed

Venice City Council (alderman) — 2nd Ward, Silver Franklin*

3rd Ward, George Lewis*

4th Ward, Victor Valentine*

Madison City Council (alderman) — 1st Ward, Andy Economy*

3rd Ward, John Hamm III*

4th Ward, Norris Horton*

Granite City Park District Board (commissioner) — two candidates for two positions:

1) Ronald S. Mortuaries*

2) Nancy Sanders-Miles*

(Dora Darnell is retiring after a six-year term.)

Venice Park District Board (commissioner) — no candidates for one position

1) No candidate filed

Anna R. Claggett, 47, of 1229 Robin St., Venice, is conducting a write-in campaign for the position.

Claggett, a commissioner on the current board, said, "I would



Anna Claggett
... park write-in

like to continue helping the children in our community.

"In my previous years as commissioner I have brought new ideas to our district, such as a senior picnic, a promenade for the eighth grade classes of both Madison and Venice schools, recreational softball for little leagues, and outings for children."

Claggett, a laboratory technical assistant at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, is a member of the New Salem Missionary Baptist Church.

She is the mother of four children.

Walk-on group schedules trip to famed gardens Thursday

The Walk-On support group, sponsored by Thomas Mortuaries, will take a trip to the Missouri Botanical Gardens in St. Louis on Thursday, April 4.

The group will depart from the Nameoki Presbyterian Church parking lot at 8:30 a.m. and travel by motor coach to the garden.

"At the garden, the group will view the spring show and then board the tram for a 30-minute narrated tour of the gardens. Following the tram tour, attendees will have time to visit the Seiva-En Japanese Garden, the English Woodland Garden, the Kaiser Maze and the Climatron."

At 12:30 p.m., the group will leave the gardens and stop at Union Station for lunch and shopping. The bus will leave Union Station at 3:30 p.m. and return to Granite City at 4:15.

Bob Thomas, president of Thomas Mortuaries, said, "While our Walk-On group puts these trips together, they are open to anyone who wants to participate. The cost of this trip is \$12, which covers the cost of the transportation, admission to Shaw's Garden and the tram tour."

Anyone interested in taking the trip can call Thomas Mortuaries at 378-1321 today or Monday to make reservations.

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SENIORS DONATE TREES TO PARK: The Granite City Council of Senior Citizens recently donated five trees to Wilson Park. From left are Nancy Sanders-Miles, president of the park district; and representing the Granite City Council of Senior Citizens are Gertrude Boskey, president; Rose Juhasz, vice-president; and Lorraine McVoy, secretary.

Builders can find help at seminar

The construction industry is subject of a conference set for April in Collinsville.

The conference, designed to help Southern Illinois general contractors, subcontractors and developers confront major changes in today's construction and real estate markets, will be held from 3-5 p.m. Thursday, April 18, at the Collinsville Holiday Inn.

The seminar is free and open to the public. Preregistration is required.

The Southern Illinois Builders Conference: A Legal Perspective is sponsored by Suetthaus and Kaplan, P.C., a law firm with offices in St. Louis and Belleville. The Southern Illinois Builders Association and the Southern Illinois Sheet Metal Contractors Organization.

Attorneys from Suetthaus and Kaplan will discuss collection of accounts receivables in a recession, creditors' rights and bankruptcy and the changing nature of lending and banking relationships.

Details of filing and enforcing mechanic's liens in Illinois also will be covered.

According to Ronald L. Pailmann, a principal in Suetthaus and Kaplan's Belleville office who concentrates his practice in construction, banking and bankruptcy law, "Contractors in today's construction market must protect their rights as

creditors and suppliers.

There are several specific actions that must be taken by contractors who wish to preserve their ability to do business."

Deadline for reservations is April 15. For additional information, or to register, call Lois LaDriere at 1-800-726-7676.

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5. Where can the water go?



Into the stormwater sewers, if the gutters and catch basins are cleaned before each winter.

6. A familiar scene!



Potholes like this abound on our streets. Had they been fixed properly in the summer with hot patching material, many of these holes would not have appeared.

7. Expensive way NOT to fix a street!



Franklin Ave. was among those paved with cold mix, a temporary patching material which will not last. Patching the holes would have been cheaper.

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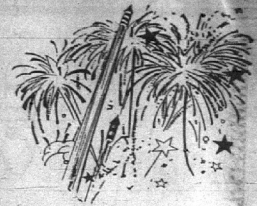
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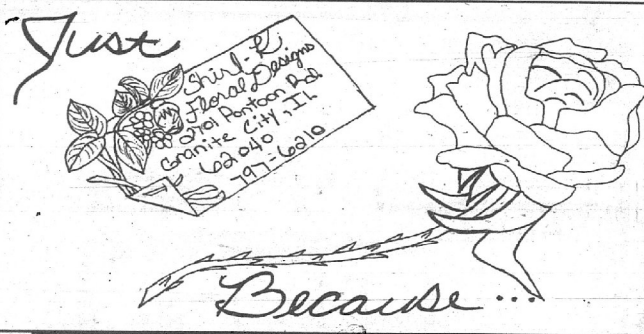
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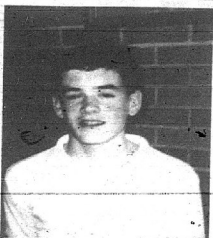
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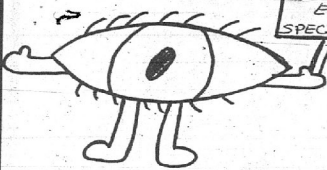


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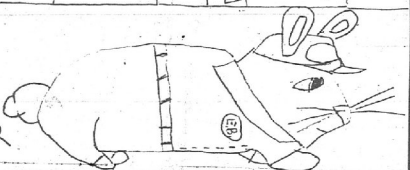
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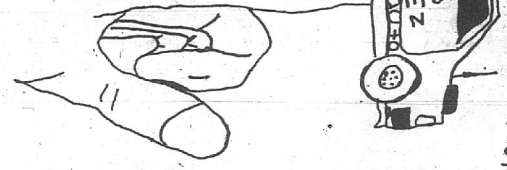
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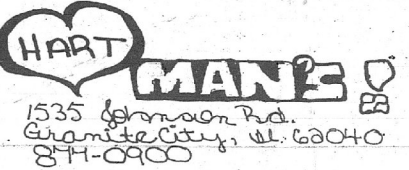
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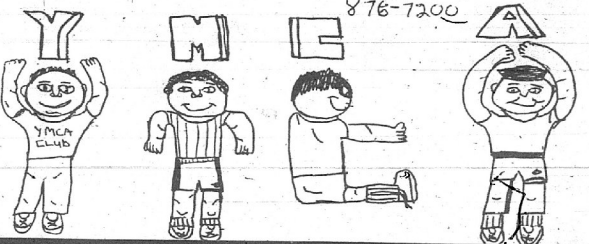


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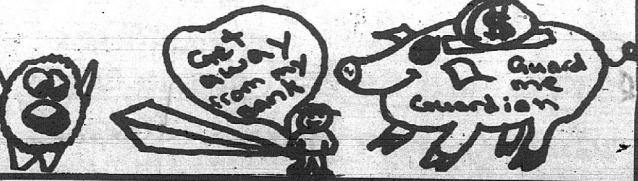
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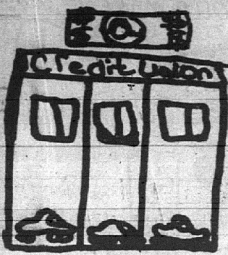
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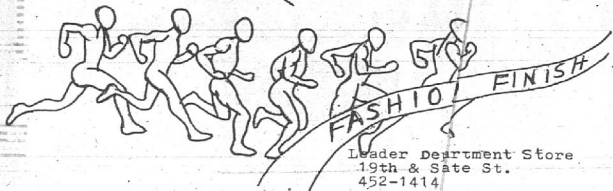
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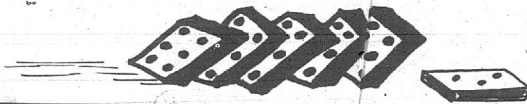
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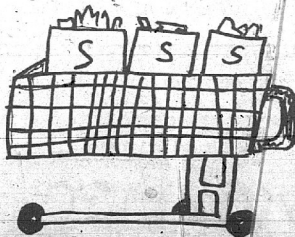


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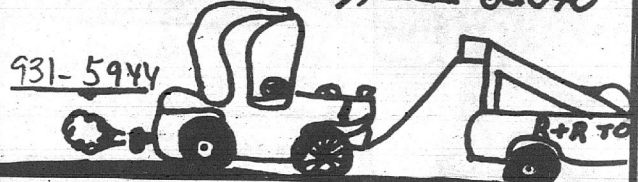
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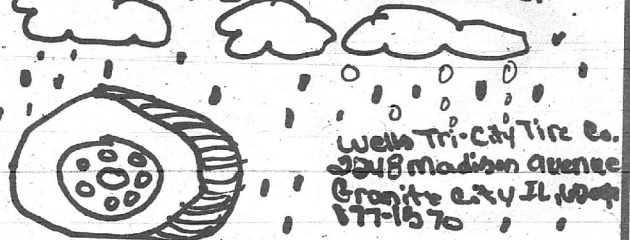


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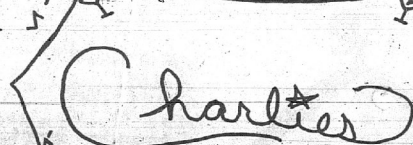
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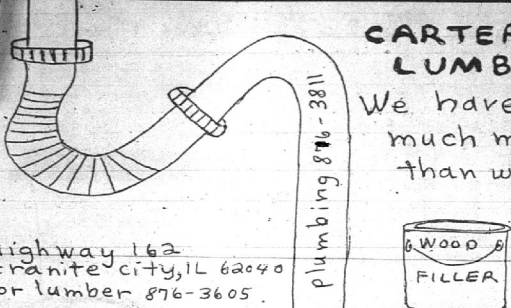
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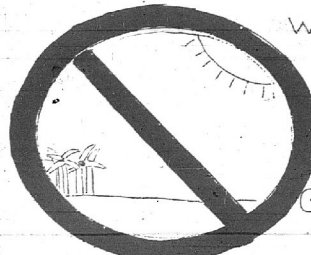
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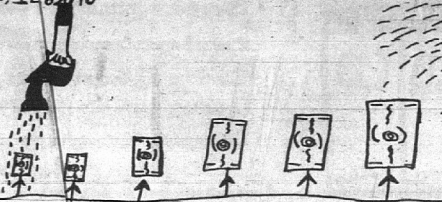
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Theater workshop openings

Students in grades 5 through 8 can still sign up for "Catch a Rising Star II," a performing arts workshop that started Saturday, March 16, from 1 to 4 p.m. in the Lincoln Place Community Center. "Catch a Rising Star I," for grades 1 through 4 is full.

Cosponsored by the Granite City Park District and Showtime Express, the workshops offer children a chance to learn about theater. They will prepare and perform a play for their parents and friends on May 4.

Workshop fee is \$20 for eight weeks. To enroll or for more information, call coordinator John Manosian at 876-8535.

Local woman

wins scholarship

A Granite City woman was among the recipients of the Ernest Ising Physics Scholarship for 1990-91 at Bradley University.

The recipients are: Lois Hull, son of Granite City and Kirt Kime of Dixon, Ill.

This scholarship is given annually to a junior or senior physics major at Bradley.

Bradley University is a full accredited, comprehensive, coeducational, private university founded in 1897 in Peoria, Ill.



(SUE photo by Denise MacDonald)

IT'S MAGIC: Ruthie Saylsberry of Granite City Head Start helps Andy Wilkinson, 4, also of Granite City Head Start, make a magic wand at the Very Special Arts Festival held recently at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. More than 2,000 children, parents, and teachers attended the two-day event. The fair included many activities for children, including arts and crafts booths and face painting.

Knox College student cited

A Granite City student has been named to Dean's List at Knox College.

Thomas Andrew Schmiedake of Granite City, a freshman at Knox College, has been named to the Dean's List of Distinguished Students for the fall term of the 1990-91 academic year.

Inclusion on the list requires, among other factors, a grade point average of at least 3.67 on a 4.0 scale.

Schmiedake is a graduate of Granite City Senior High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Schmiedake, of the 2800 block of Sunset Drive.

Student named treasurer

MONMOUTH, Ill.—Jennifer Riden of Granite City, a junior at Monmouth College, has been appointed treasurer of the Student Association (S.A.), the governing student body on campus.

Riden is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Riden of Granite City.

The purpose of the Student

Association, a governing body of students made up of representatives of various organizations, dorms, fraternities and sororities on campus, is to coordinate and encourage educational and cultural activities, provide a forum for voicing student opinion, and to foster a spirit of unity among members of Monmouth College.



Beth Reiter ... honored

Student cited for poster

Beth Reiter of Granite City received a Special Recognition Award for the poster she entered in the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's (IEPA) "Water: The Liquid of Life" contest.

The program was designed to promote environmental awareness and stewardship among Illinois children. More than 17,600 Illinois fifth grade students participated in the poster contest. Each participating school sent the poster to the IEPA. From these posters, a committee of IEPA staff selected 50 to exhibit at the First of America Bank in Springfield.

Beth is a fifth grade student at Janet Wilson at Niedringhaus School and the daughter of Jeff and Sandy Reiter of Granite City.

NEMSU names honor roll

The 1990 fall honor roll at Northeast Missouri State University in Kirksville was led by 303 students, each with a perfect 4.0 grade point average.

To be eligible for the honor roll, a student must earn at least 12 undergraduate semester hours of credit with a minimum grade

point average of 3.5. Area students are: from Edwardsville, Amy Crook, Carrie Sielaff, Patrick Tiemann and Mary Weingartner, and from Granite City, H. Chad Lane, Michael McCormick, Christian Richeson, Janet Riden, Julie Riden and Carlie Smith.

DePauw awards scholarship

Shawn J. Patrick, a senior at Granite City High School, has been awarded the \$3,500 Rector Honor Scholarship by DePauw University.

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Patrick is the son of Mrs. Ping H. Patrick of Granite City.

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WINNERS: The Parview Elementary School winners in the District 29 PTA Reflections competition are, from left, Jamie Warren, literature; Vincent Willaredt, visual arts; Jonathan Simkosky, photography; Justin Warren, visual arts; Ashley Jones, literature; and Eric Edwards, visual arts. Not pictured is Nathan Goebel, photography. The group's entries will be sent on to the Illinois PTA competition. The theme of the Reflections contest was "If I Had a Wish."

Student completes internship

Latifa Owsley, Wells College (Aurora, N.Y.) class of 1994, daughter of Dorothy Owsley of Granite City, recently completed an internship at the St. Louis Science Center as part of her college studies.

The Wells College January Internship Program enables students to apply their liberal arts education in the work place. Students are able to explore careers in a variety of fields, including accounting, advertising, banking, computer science, education, health care, law and marketing.

Carmel Scialese, director of the Wells College Career Development Services said, "In 1991, our internship program expanded in the local community and internationally, generating tremendous excitement. Over and over, the program proves to us that students with a liberal arts background have almost limitless career options."



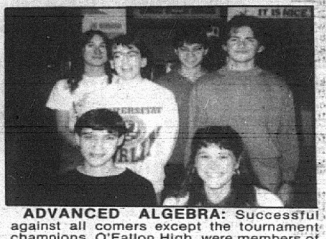
STATE QUALIFIERS: Individuals on the Granite City High School Math Team who qualified in regional competition for the state mathematics tournament in May at Illinois State University. From left, Scott McMillan, third place, Advanced Algebra division; Vladimir Milosevic, third, Pre-Calculus division; and Chris McMillan, champion, Advanced Algebra division.



CALCULATOR TEAM: Granite City High School students competing in the regional math contest sponsored by the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics. From left are Scott McMillan, Mike Pascoe, Robert Haack and Jason Hall. Missing from the photo is Kelly Mullen.



REGIONAL CONTESTANTS: Members of the Freshman-Sophomore Math Team from Granite City High School. First row, from left, are Paula Gregory, Amy Gebhardt and Jeannine McMillan. Second row, from left, are Steve Lubak, Terry Prather and Bryan Weber. Missing from the photo are Nathan Owen and Jennifer Wojtowicz.



ADVANCED ALGEBRA: Successful against all comers except the tournament champions, O'Fallon High, were members of the Granite City High Advanced Algebra Team. First row, Mike Pascoe, left, and Jennifer Wortham. Second row, Scott McMillan, left, and Chris McMillan. Third row, Chris Manners, left, and Dan Pascoe. Other schools competing were Edwardsville, Belleville West, Collinsville, Mascoutah, Jerseyville and Lincoln.

Births

Ryan Rozycki

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy A. Rozycki of Sterling Heights, Mich., formerly of Granite City, are announcing the birth of their second child, a boy, Ryan Alexander, born at 1:44 p.m. March 25 at Macomb Hospital Center in Warren, Mich.

He weighed 7 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces, and was 20-inches in length. He joins 1-year-old brother, Jordan Matthew.

The mother is the former Tami McMasters. Mr. and Mrs. Rozycki were residents of this area prior to moving to Sterling Heights in January.

Paternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Bill F. (Sandra) McMasters of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Francis (Linda) Rozycki of Edwardsville.

Great-grandmothers are Laura Rozycki of Madison, and Hilda

McMasters and Ruby Risner both of Granite City.

David Colburn

Donald and Tracy Colburn of Brighton are parents of a boy born at 2:31 p.m. March 24, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named David Wayne Colburn. He weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces.

The mother is the former Tracy Colburn. Maternal grandparents are Donald and Helen Stahlhut of Leasburg, Mo.

Paternal grandparents are Donald Sr. and Marjorie Colburn of Brighton.

Kyle Stickler

Steven and Tina Stickler of Bethalto are the parents of a boy born March 21, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named Kyle Steven Stickler. He weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

The mother is the former Tina Marie Raimpl. The maternal grandmother is Alice M. Harkins of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Fred and Connie Stickler of Florissant, Mo.

D. Bronnbauer

Joan and Lisa Bronnbauer of Granite City are parents of a girl born March 22, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant was named Danielle Marie Bronnbauer. She weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces.

The mother is the former Lisa Harlan. Maternal grandparents are George and Judy Harlan of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Richard and Bonnie Bronnbauer of Granite City.

Program cited

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Marianna McNally
new coordinator

Coordinator named at GCC

Marianna McNally of Edwardsville recently was appointed coordinator of the Early School Leaver Program at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College.

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Correspondent

GRANITE CITY — As a physics teacher, Allen Lobdell is used to experimentation. He'll be doing plenty of that this spring with the Warrior tennis team.

The program has had a problem with numbers in the past. But there is a different problem with numbers this season. There are 34 players out for tennis, giving Lobdell a great deal of flexibility in deciding who plays.

"It's nice to have so many kids come out, but the trouble is there were 10 freshmen, 11 sophomores and three juniors out for their first year," Lobdell said. "We're going to keep them all for a while. They understand most of my time will be with the varsity and that they need to work."

Senior Raffi Karibian will be the No. 1 singles player when the season opens Monday in Cahokia. Karibian teamed with Andy Wolf to qualify for state as



Allen Lobdell ... experimenting
a doubles team in 1990. "Raffi's senior year might be surprising," said Lobdell. "I'm

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anxious to see how he does. Raffi has a good shot at advancing to state in singles because the top players in our sectional last year have graduated. He and Dan (Debert) have a decent shot in doubles if he chooses to go that route.

Debert, a sophomore, had a successful freshman year and

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Big names heard in trade rumors

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Usually at this time of year, every team thinks it is invincible. As spring training draws to a close and the regular season is set to begin, teams usually are very satisfied with their personnel and looking to make only a few minor moves to shore up a couple of areas.

But, strange things are happening this spring. Trade talks are in the air and a lot of big name players could be involved. "If some of the trades I'm hearing discussed really do come off, there will be some major, impact-type players involved," Dave Dombrowski, general manager for the Montreal Expos, said last week.

Discussions no doubt involve the Cardinals, who can dangle veterans Ozzie Smith and Pedro Guerrero before contending teams. Rumors have been floating for weeks that the Cardinals and Los Angeles Dodgers were discussing a possible deal for



Rob Rains
Smith, who has made no secret of his desire to play in Los Angeles if he leaves the Cardinals.

The Dodgers have a top prospect in shortstop Jose Offerman, but many people inside and outside of the Dodger organization question whether the 22-year-old is ready to make the jump to the majors, especially defensively.

The other club making noise about Smith lately has been the Toronto Blue Jays, who also have a youngster, Eddie Zosky, who may or may not be ready to play every day in the majors. Both the Dodgers and Blue Jays have spent megabucks this off-

season to try to win in 1991, and it is easily to understand how they would think Smith would be the final piece of the puzzle.

As a player with 10 years of experience in the majors and the last five with the same club, Smith has the right to veto or approve any trade. It is likely he would approve a move to either club, but probably would prefer the Dodgers unless his contract could be extended for a couple of years.

There is less likelihood the Cardinals will move Guerrero until the middle of the season, though he has asked to be traded if he doesn't get a contract. (See RAINS, Page 3C)



STILL UNDEFEATED: Rick Fowler, coach of the Bi-State Bench Pressers, stands with the trophy the team won in the 1991 American Drug Free Powerlifting Association nationals in St. Louis last weekend, featuring 162 bench pressers from all over the country. The team of area lifters is undefeated in four years of competition. Placing in last week's event for Bi-State were 181-pounder Jim Stanley (358, 5th place open division), 198-pounder John Frangoulis (396, 3rd open) and Art Kisrow (374, 2nd 40-49 group), 220-pounder Tom Marsh (314, 3rd 50 and over), 198-pounder Ed Mott (385, 6th open), 275-pounder Lee (303, 3rd 40-49 group). The team will host and sponsor the 1991 Ozark Bench Press Championships on May 11 at Englebart Hall in Madison. All meets are drug-tested by urine or lie detector.

TO THE CITIZENS AND VOTERS OF GRANITE CITY:

On Saturday, March 2, 1991, I was having lunch with my family, when I heard a knock at the door. As I opened the door, there stood my boss (Mac Warfield) the Street Supt., with his campaign literature. Before I could say "hello," Mac, in a very loud and what he thought was an intimidating voice, demanded that I take down the sign in my yard for "Jug Harrison."

He reminded me he was my "boss, and I owed him."

I told Mac the sign was going to stay in my yard and I didn't appreciate him talking like that in front of my family - with that his face turned beet red and as he turned and walked away, he said, "we'll see about that."

I was compelled to write this letter, since Mac stated in his interview he never pressured any of his employees for support.

I don't know what you call what Mac did, but what ever it is - it didn't work ... I'm still supporting "Jug Harrison" and his sign is still there.

Mike Cross
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Local students receive awards for drafting skill

Fifty students from eight area high schools recently participated in the Illinois Drafting Educators Association contest held at the Belleville campus of Belleville Area College.

The competition at BAC is one of the 18 regional contests held throughout the state of Illinois. Students demonstrated skills in five different areas of drafting, including architectural, machine, introductory, CAD architectural and CAD mechanical.

Schools participating in the competition were Collinsville, Freeburg, Granite City, Highland, Calhoun, Triad and Red Bud high schools, and Collinsville Vocational Center.

"In past years, students from the BAC regional competition have done well when they advanced to competition at the state level," said John Jacobs, coordinator of the drafting technology program at BAC and of the competition. "This speaks very well for the quality of the drafting programs at the local high schools."

Engineers and architects from

area firms and instructors from BAC's drafting department judged the work of the students. Winners received drafting supplies and are eligible for the state competition, to be held April 6 at the University of Illinois at Champaign.

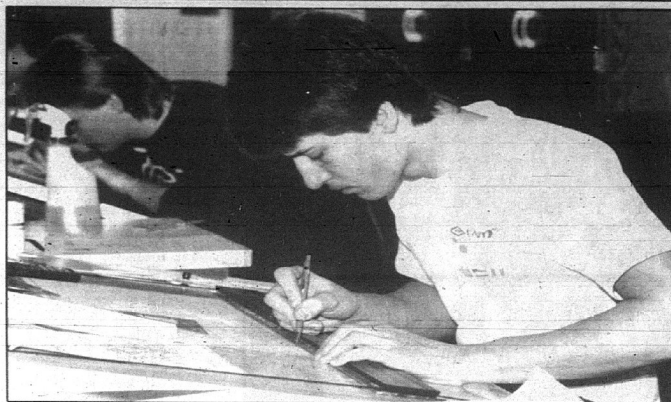
The award winners were: Calhoun High School - Virgil Klass, second in introductory; Collinsville Vocation Center - Steve Schiller, second in Cad architectural.

Freeburg High School - Steve Kohlberg, first in introductory; Jeff Groh, third in introductory; Brandon McGraw, first in architectural; Jon Manning, second in architectural.

Granite City High School - Shane McKeel, first in machine; Charles Chastain, second in machine; Don Eudy, first in mechanical.

Highland High School - Eric Lohman, first in Cad architectural; Mike Brown, third in introductory.

Red Bud High School - Matt Melliere, second in Cad mechanical.



SHANE MCKEEL, a senior at Granite City High School, won first place in machine drafting in the Illinois Drafting Educators Association regional contest at Belleville Area College.

IDOT holds open house

COLLINSVILLE — The Illinois Department of Transportation conducted an Engineering Open House recently at its District 8 headquarters for students from Venice High School who are interested in engineering as a possible career.

The students were given a guided tour through the district office, which involved a demonstration of the Computer Aided Drafting Design facility, a tour of the design and plan preparation office, the Communications Room and Materials lab.

Students were also presented a display of various surveying, construction engineering materials testing and computerized traffic signal intersection equipment, and highlights of various construction projects in the area.

The students participated in a panel discussion with three engineers, discussing how and why they chose engineering as their field and offering tips on what courses to take and answered any questions.

Local student in college play

• Casting is complete for "The Servant of Two Masters," the spring term production by the theatre arts department at College of the Ozarks. "Servant," written by the Italian Carlo Goldoni in the commedia dell'arte style, will be presented April 12 to 14 in Jones Auditorium, directed by Dr. James Meikle.

C of O students cast in "Servant" include Randy Veisman of Granite City, as "Pantalone." Times for the play are 8 p.m. Friday, April 12, and Saturday, April 13, and 2 p.m. Sunday, April 14.

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A HELPING HAND: Charline Keaton, left, of Granite City gets academic and career counseling from Patricia Lurtz, an academic advisor at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College. Keaton is attending school full-time, working toward an associated of art degree for transfer and plans to pursue a career in elementary education.

Altar Society planning Quilt Social

Kathy Dohnal covers the Madison-Venice scene for the Press-Record/Journal. She can be contacted at 877-1086.

Madison Seniors met on Thursday, March 21, at the Recreation Center for their Easter party. Vice President Mary Götting opened the meeting. Eva Barry offered prayer before a catered dinner by Lee's Chicken was served. Seventy were in attendance. After dinner an Easter Hat Parade was held.

Dorothy Vasiloff accompanied Irene Kadance at the piano as she sang "In Your Easter Bonnet." Winners were Frank Shifter and Dorothea Ashley. The judges were Tony Romanic and Josephine Czervinski. Bingo con-



Kathy Dohnal

cluded the afternoon.

The Old Times Sake Club met on Wednesday, March 20, for dinner at Brenda's Steak House. Attending were Kathy Dohnal, Gerry Mendez, Connie Grapas, Mary Firtos, Betty Bucatch, Pat Lalich and Pat Scherrills.

St. Ann's Altar Society of St. Mary's Church will hold their annual Quilt Social at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 7, at Engelbert Hall. There will be 25 games with a quilt for each game. Attendance prizes will be awarded. Refreshments of sandwiches, soda, desert and coffee will be available.

St. Mary's Activity Committee is sponsoring a Spring Dance on Saturday, April 13, at Engelbert Hall. Music will be provided by "Polka Connection" band with dancing from 8 to 12 p.m. Cost is \$4 per person. Polish sausage sandwiches will be available. A quilt will also be raffled.

Founders Day celebrated by Phi Tau Omega

Eight members of the Eta Chapter of Phi Tau Omega Sorority attended the Founder's Day Celebration of the 60th anniversary of the founding of the sorority at a luncheon held at Ravanelli's restaurant on March 9.

The Delta Chapter of Alton was in charge of the arrangements.

Among those who attended were Eileen Howard, national president; Carolyn Lamborn, national organizer; and Karin Barker, national scribe.

Also in attendance were nine past national presidents: Aurelia Voelker, Thelma Charboneau, Hilda Schroeder, Mable Staley, Dorothy Hinson, Jolene Jarpe, Hazel Riedesel, Jan Campbell and Barbara Newberg.

Phi Tau Omega Sorority consists of 36 active chapters and five alumnae chapters through-

out the country. Eta members in attendance were: Mary Evalyne Yencho, Ann Tatum, Mary Lou Richeson,

Kathryn Weddell, Hilda Schroeder, Eunice Hatscher, Debbie Geggus, and Martha Ruth Thomas.

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Iowa trip features round of visiting

Maxine Duniphan covers the Mitchell area for the Press-Record/Journal. She can be contacted at 931-2714.

Emily Jones of Barkley Avenue has returned from Pella, Iowa, where she visited her daughter and son-in-law, Ruth and Bill Wiegand.

Emily Jones accompanied her granddaughter, Cathy Wiegand of Arnold, Mo., to Pella to visit her parents. There, the travelers also visited another of the Wiegand's daughters, Karen Walbeck, and her husband, Wayne, and their children, Katie and Conner. It was the first time Emily Jones had seen her great-grandson Conner, who was born Jan. 17.

Also joining the relatives were



Maxine Duniphan

the Wiegand's son, Leroy, and his girlfriend, Natasha Frailey of Logansport, Ind.

The family got together to celebrate the birthdays of Bill Wiegand and his granddaughter Katie Walbeck.

A revival will be held at Faith Chapel General Baptist Church, 664 Ashland Ave. April 3-10. Services will begin at 7 each evening. The Rev. Jim McNeely will be the evangelist. Singing, preaching and "old time fellowshipping" will be featured night-

ly. The four-day revival will conclude Sunday afternoon following all-day services, a covered dish dinner in the Fellowship Hall and a concert by the "Spirit of Life Singers" in the afternoon. The Rev. Don Gaines is pastor.

Chouteau Township Road Commissioner Robert Douglas is giving Chouteau Township residents advance notice that the highway department workers will pick up all large items not picked up by the garbage collectors, except tree limbs and tires.

The pick up will begin April 22 and continue through April 26. Residents with articles for special pick up may call the Township Garage the week before the pick up date to make arrangements. Call 931-6333, between 7 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Firms sought for career fair

Belleville Area College and the Madison County Urban League are inviting area employers to participate in "Career Fair '91" from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday, April 26, at BAC's Granite City Campus, 4950 Maryville Road.

According to Martha Nelson, job placement director of the Granite City Campus, the fair is an opportunity for companies to distribute employment information and possibly recruit BAC students and area residents for full- or part-time positions.

"This is an excellent opportunity for businesses to let the public know about what they have to offer as an employer and to meet with potential employees," Nelson said.

"It also is an opportunity for BAC students and area residents to find out more about the local job market."

Career Fair '91 is open to any equal opportunity employer. Since space is limited, early registration is encouraged.

For information, persons may call Martha Nelson at the Granite City Campus, 931-0600, extension 634, or 1-800-BAC-5131, extension 441, or Alan Channess of the Madison County Urban League at 482-1906 or 877-8360.

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Briefly

WRYT to air election results

WRYT Radio, in cooperation with Cencom Cable, will be broadcasting Madison County election results on the evening of Tuesday, April 2.

Coverage will focus on live updates of local races at the County Courthouse, Edwardsville. Also featured will be analysis of major races and possibly candidate interviews.

The programming will begin at 9 p.m. and will include updates at the start and end of each hour until all results are tallied. The broadcast will be carried on Cencom TV Channel 10 and on 95.5 FM.

New church opens on Easter

The Revival Outreach Center (ROC), located at 2100 Cleveland Blvd., will hold its opening service on Easter Sunday, March 31, starting at 6 p.m.

The public is invited to the new church, said Pastor Vic Peavy. Transportation and child care will be provided. Peavy can be contacted at 452-5007 for more information.

Appreciation for Venice mayor

The People Who Care Organization will sponsor the Venice Mayor's Appreciation Dinner-Dance on Saturday, April 20, at the Venice-Madison American Legion Hall, 740 Broadway, Venice. The sixth annual event will honor Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols. More than 200 attended last year's party, according to Vanetta Adams, chairman.

Tickets costing \$15 each are available at the mayor's office in the Venice City Hall, 877-2412 may be called for further information.

Live entertainment will be provided by The Face musical group from St. Louis.

Ann Ervin is serving as dinner-dance co-chairman.

Smith to head Library Friends

Friends of the Granite City Public Library District held its annual meeting and election at the main library on March 21. Officers were elected for the upcoming year. The new officers are Judy Smith, president; Ann Scott, first vice president; Pauline Schank, second vice president; Carol Franklin, treasurer, and Judy Brown, secretary.

Recurring Treasurer Ann Scott reported the Friends group gave \$3,586 to help support special library programs of the Granite City Public Library District during the past year.

During the meeting, tentative dates of June 7 and 8 were set for the Friends' annual book sale.

Local educator honored

Chidy Schuler-Gavilsky was named Illinois Alternative Educator of the Year at the Illinois Alternative Education Association's annual conference held in Springfield.

For the past five years, Schuler-Gavilsky has served as program coordinator of the Alternative Education Program at the Coordinated Youth Services in Granite City.

During that time, she has developed numerous programs in the field of prevention, including Visions for the Future, RESCUE and Group Dynamics I and II, an innovative life skills/prevention program for educators, youth and families.

Schuler-Gavilsky, her husband and three children reside in the Granite City area. She is the daughter of Billie Schuler and Paul Schuler, both of Granite City.

Local residents honored

Volunteer members of the program councils of the University of Illinois Extension Service in Madison County were recently honored.

Council members carry out the responsibilities of studying the county situation and determining the priority problems toward which the extension service should direct its attention.

Members assist the staff in keeping the county programs up-to-date and relevant to the needs of the people in the county.

The volunteers receiving special recognition for completing four years of service were Arla Alit, Granite City, and Alice Kerkmeyer, Collinsville.

1st park trip set April 26

The Granite City Park District will sponsor the first one-day trip of the season on Friday, April 26.

The group will attend the seventh annual Quilt Show and Contest to be held at the Executive Inn Convention Center in Paducah, Ky.

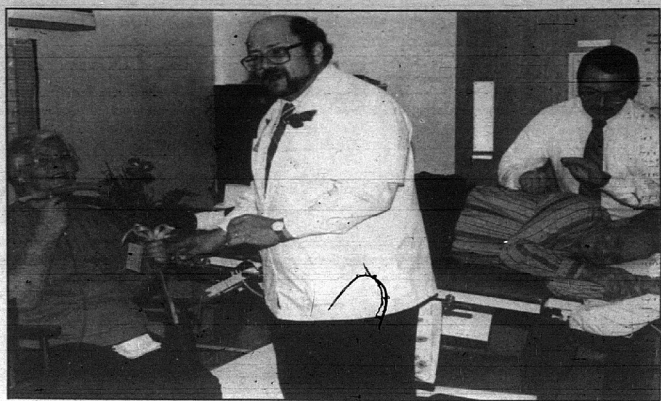
Quilts will be displayed from all over the world with at least 400 quilts in the exhibition. In addition to the huge array of quilts, a merchants mall will be available with booths selling anything to do with quilting.

Representatives from the American Quilter's Society said that buses from all over the country will travel to the show with many foreign visitors also attending. Requests to return to the show were made after the Park District sponsored the trip to the show two years ago.

The bus will leave the Wilson Park Ice Rink at 6 a.m. with a breakfast stop along the way. After attending the quilt show the group will have lunch in the early afternoon in a restaurant in Paducah. The bus will return to Granite City in the early evening with an impromptu stop along the way.

The cost of the trip is \$24 per person and includes bus fare and admission to the quilt show.

The trip will went on sale March 26 at the Wilson Park Office. For more information, call the Wilson Park Office, 877-3059.



(SEMC photo by Jeannie Rife)

NATIONAL PULMONARY WEEK: Elzie Evans, a pulmonary patient at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City, receives flowers from Respiratory Therapist Dave Sheppard. Orval Femmer, president of the Better Breathers Club, reclining, and Dan McDowell, director of Pulmonary Services, also helped present flowers to pulmonary patients at the medical center during the week of March 18-22, National Pulmonary Week.

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Red Cross fund-raisers are planned

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The services include emergency disaster assistance, service to military, families, and veterans, blood services, and safety and health services. The Red Cross counts on support from the local community to be able to offer these services and is asking everyone to please help.

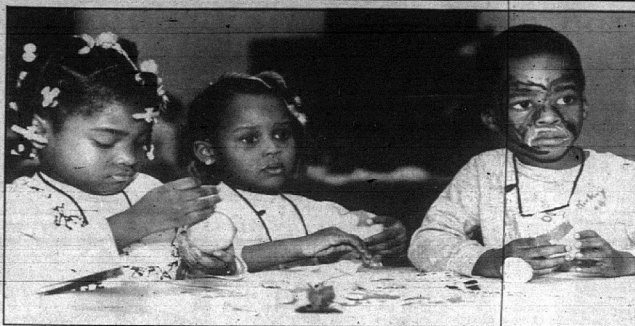
On Saturday, April 13, the Tri-City chapter will conduct a book and baked goods sale which will be held at the Belleville Area College Granite City campus. The sale will be held from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. and will include novels, condensed books, textbooks, romances, and cookbooks. Baked goods will be available for sale and will include cakes, breads and pies.

The chapter is currently accepting book donations in preparation for this event and will accept donations of baked goods the day before and the day of the event. Pick-up service for book donations can be arranged by calling 432-7184, or donations may be brought to the Red Cross office at 3728 Nameoki Road in Granite City.

On Friday, April 26, the Red Cross will conduct a Chicken 'N' Beef Dinner-Dance at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 4225 W. Alton Road in Granite City.

This event will also go to help support Red Cross services offered to the community. The event will offer chicken and beef dinners and will be followed by live music and dancing.

Dinner will be served from 6 to 8 p.m. Tickets are \$8.50 for adults, and \$3.50 for children under 12. Tickets may be purchased through Red Cross volunteers or by coming to the Tri-City chapter Red Cross office which is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



(SIUE photo by Denise Macdonald)
DECORATING EASTER EGGS: Left to right, Monique Phillips, 5; Dominique Robinson, 3; and Rickey Salmond, 4, of the Venice Head Start Program decorate Easter eggs at a giant arts festival held at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. More than 2,000 children, parents and teachers attended the two-day festival. The fair featured many activities for children, including cookie decorating and make-up booths.

Native gets art post

Elizabeth Adams Kising has been elected president of the Warwick Art League of Warwick, N.Y.

Kising is a native of Granite City and attended St. Louis Community College at Florissant Valley for Commercial Art. She is a 1974 graduate of GCHS.

Since 1979, Kising has worked primarily as a freelance commercial artist and illustrator and has illustrated hundreds of books, posters, banners and covers for educational publishers. Her work will appear in the 1991 Outdoor Life Yearbook later this year.

Kising was reared by her grandparents, Lillian Adams and the late Ernest Adams, a retired Granite City policeman.

Kising's parents are Bill Adams of Granite City and Shirley Adams of Granite City.

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Butterfly group has luncheon

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The group went to the hostess's home for dessert and an afternoon of games. Game winners were Juanita, Nell and Joni Ravaneli. Guests were Beth Ravaneli and children Jill, Joey and Andy. Edith was honored on her birthday.



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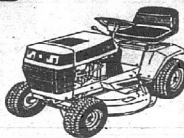
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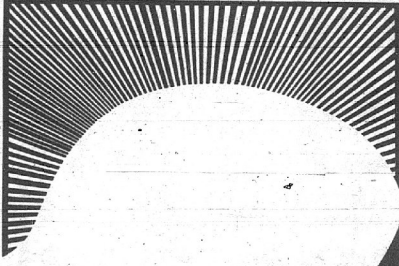
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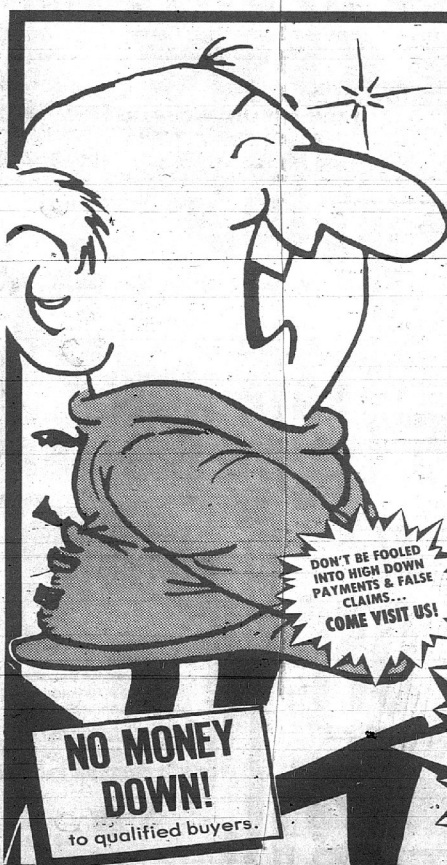
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The six-week program is being offered for the first time through the Wellness Center at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. It is designed to help out-of-shape and overweight children between the ages of 8 and 12 get back into shape and build their self-esteem, while helping active youngsters stay in shape.

Even if your child is fit right now, there's no guarantee he or she will be that way in 20 or 30 years," said Jim Chiappa, director of the Wellness Center.

"Besides teaching kids a healthy lifestyle, we want to make the class as fun as possible for them."

Which means there won't be any homework involved. "The child shouldn't think of it as going to school and being stuck in a classroom all morning, because that's not how we have it set up," Chiappa said. "Attending the jamboree is simply going to be a much healthier alternative to sitting at home on the couch all morning eating doughnuts, watching cartoons, and playing Nintendo."

The program will run on six consecutive Saturday mornings beginning April 13, with each class lasting approximately one-and-a-half hours, from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. The charge for the program is \$20.

Julie Bugnitz, a registered dietitian at SEMC, and Nancy Owens, a health educator and fitness instructor at the Wellness Center, will teach the program in tandem.

Class size is limited, so pre-registration is required. To register or for more information, call the Wellness Center at 783-3WEL.

EASTER FINERY is displayed by members of the Madison Senior Citizens, wearing their Easter bonnets. In the first row are Steve Berry, left, and Dorothy Ashley. Second row from left, are Rose Marie Merchoff, Mildred Shifter, Lottie Ostresh, Frank Shifter and Genevieve McClure.

Seniors compete in parade

Seventy members of the Madison Senior Citizens attended the group's annual Easter party on March 21 at the Madison Recreation Center.

The traditional Easter parade was held with members marching to the song "In Your Easter Bonnet." Music was provided at the piano by Dorothy Vasiloff and sung by Irene Kadane.

Winners of the "Best Hat"

awards were Dorothy Ashley and Frank Shifter.

Also wearing Easter finery were Steve Berry, Rose Marie Merchoff, Mildred Shifter, Lottie Ostresh and Genevieve McClure.

Lunch was catered by Lee's Chicken. The remainder of the afternoon was spent playing bingo.

Long Lake unit holds meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department met March 7 at the Fire Hall on Pontoon Road. Eleven members were present.

The meeting was chaired by Diane Nane, president. Johnna Dean, secretary, read reports of past meeting and correspondence. Due to the absence of the treasurer, no financial report was made.

A donation was authorized to be given to the fire department to host the Madison County Firemen's Association on May 16. Absentees ballots will be made available, upon request, for the upcoming auxiliary election.

Ellen Wallace was presented with her Fireman's Charm for being a full-time member. The 50/50 Club winner was Audrey Ribbing.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served to Johnna Dean, Diane Nane, Audrey Ribbing, Mary Ann Burton, Mabel Kennedy, Lucille Sobczak, Margaret Suggs, Ellen Wallace, Diane Goodman, Corine Kreher and Etta Rutherford.

Table decoration were with the St. Patrick's Day Theme. Each member received a green mug.

Party honors youth

Timothy Lemp, son of James M. and Beverly Lemp, celebrated his seventh birthday, March 29 in their home on Marshall Avenue.

Guests attending were: Morgan Bivens, Philip Byrd, Bobby Ellis, Wanda Joiner (Farrell), Nicole and Brandy Topal and Christopher Lemp, brother of the honoree.



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Granite City Public Schools

Monday - Manager's choice.
Tuesday - Pizza, hot dogs, butternut vegetable, chilled peaches.
Wednesday - Roast turkey with dressing, potatoes with gravy, butternut vegetable, fruit cup.
Thursday - Taco with cheese, lettuce and tomato, buttered vegetable, fruit cup.
Friday - Codfish dinner, macaroni and cheese, buttered peas, fruit cup.

Madison Public Schools
Monday - Ravioli and meat sauce, mixed vegetables, fruit cup.

Tuesday - Meat loaf, whipped potatoes and gravy, corn, pudding.

Wednesday - Sloppy joe, dill slices, baked beans, peaches.

Thursday - Fried chicken, whipped potatoes and gravy, green beans, gelatin.

Friday - Manager's choice.

Monday - Manager's choice.

Tuesday - Manager's choice.

Wednesday - Manager's choice.

Thursday - Manager's choice.

Friday - Manager's choice.

Holy Family
Monday - No school; Easter vacation.

Tuesday - No school; Easter vacation.

Wednesday - No school; Easter vacation.

Thursday - Cannelloni with meat sauce, corn, salad, chocolate drop cookies.

Friday - Nachos with cheese sauce, peas, carrots and celery sticks, peanut buttered bread, cake.

St. Elizabeth
Monday - Easter vacation; no school.

Tuesday - Steak nuggets, mashed potatoes, buttered vegetable, cupcake and fruit.

Wednesday - Spaghetti and meat sauce, garlic bread, buttered vegetable, pudding and fruit.

Thursday - Pizza with extra cheese, buttered vegetable, cherry cobbler.

Friday - Nachos and cheese, peanut butter sandwich, carrots and celery sticks, blueberry muffins.

Head Start
Monday - Nacho chips, hot taco meat, shredded cheese, shredded lettuce, diced tomatoes, Spanish rice, pastry log.

Tuesday - Spaghetti with meat in sauce, tossed salad, dressing, mixed vegetables, garlic bread.

Wednesday - Polish sausage, mashed potatoes, bran muffin, green beans, fruit cup.

Thursday - Meat loaf, brown gravy, mashed potatoes, whole wheat kernel corn, whole wheat bread.

Eta pledges give party

Eta pledges gave a party for Eta members at the Den on Feb. 27 as part of their pledgeship.

The party was given in a Valentine's Day Theme by pledges Kelly Bernaix, Lisa Fanning, Laurie Logan, Norma McKay, Willie Rosenberg, Mary Rydigg and Julie Wiehardt.

Tables displayed floral arrangements of red tulips, white narcissus and lace buds.

Balloons with Hershey kisses wrapped in red netting accompanied the centerpiece, along with small, red-foil containers filled with nuts, mints, and peppermint candies. Red heart name tags and fallies were part of the theme.

Debbie Geggus, vice president, announced that aaxias were sent to Mary Rydigg, a new pledge, and her family following the death of her nephew, Walter Milton III.

Mary Eyalnye Yenchko took "Panders' Day" reservations and collected money for the National Sweepstakes. Georgiane Van Baskirk distributed the quarterly Ramblings.

Pledges recited the Greek alphabet and locations of chapters as part of their pledgeship.

A buffet style dinner was served with a cherry tart dessert.

The evening continued with a game of Bunko. Prizes were won by Dorothy Costello, Jan Greathouse, Kathy Keck, Jane Haug, Georgiane Van Baskirk, and Bonnie Hatcher. The 50-50 drawing was won by Mary Lou Skcheson.

Other members attending were Willie Greathouse, Dolores Sheri-ke, Lorraine Gull, Debbie Geggus, Janis Wolfe, Ann Latham, and Mary Eyalnye Yenchko.

We're Sorry!

In this week's Dollar Sale circular, the five-place dinner set featured on page 3 will be available in limited quantities due to unprecedented demand. The dinner set will be in full quantity by the middle of April, and we will be happy to issue rain checks.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you.

Venture

Recipient of award shows determination, spirit

By Maxine Duniphan
 Correspondent

Bernice Myers, 541 Margaret St., Mitchell, is the recipient of the "Spirit of Achievement" Award.

The award recognizes individuals with a disability who demonstrate outstanding work and activity characteristics and works toward maximizing their potential.

The award is one of five awards presented annually by the Illinois Rehabilitation Community/Job Now Network, which recognizes individuals with disabilities and organizations and businesses who work with individuals with a disability.

Myers received the plaque and a certificate of recognition at the Jobs Now Network's 5th Annual Recognition Dinner on March 17 held at the Collinsville Holiday Inn.

Myers, is the wife of the Rev. Willard Myers. The Myers have raised four of their own children and two grandchildren. Although she has always had difficulty walking due to severely weak ankles, flat feet and an accident that broke her back at the age of 12, she has made a home for her family, worked hard in the church, and among other things was a Boy Scout den mother. As a den mother, she with loving patience would pick up and deliver children to and from Scout meetings and other events.

In 1968, she became a volunteer Adaptive Aide with the

Granite City School District's Special Education Program. Soon she was recruiting other parents to work with the program.

In 1967, Myers and her husband were in an automobile accident that injured her knees, which added further to her disability.

Following her recovery from the accident, she decided to return to college. She enrolled at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, where she graduated in 1974 as a special education teacher.

Soon after her graduation she began as a substitute teacher for the Granite City school district in its special education program, where she worked four years.

In 1978, Myers became a full-time teacher with the East St. Louis Promis Center, a school for the Developmentally Disabled, where she worked until 1986, when she retired at the age of 65.

Following retirement, Myers once again became a volunteer in the Granite City school sys-

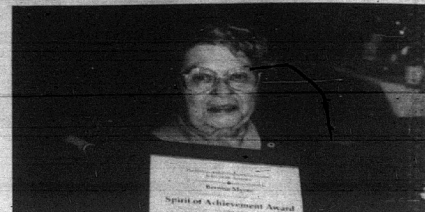
tem. This time it was through the Retired Senior Volunteer Program, a program sponsored by Belleville Area College.

She began as a tutor for students at Grigsby Junior High School. The program was set up in half-hour tutoring sessions one day a week. Myers not only volunteered for two days a week, she volunteered for two and three sessions a day.

The program was such a success that she again became a recruiter, speaking at senior meetings urging others to become tutors for the children who needed and appreciated the program so much.

In mid-1990, her legs and back gave out and she is now confined to a wheelchair but her spirit and willingness to help are still strong.

"I have a wheelchair ramp at home and have learned to maneuver the wheelchair," she said. "I would like to return to the tutoring as soon as possible," she said.



BERNICE MYERS displays her "Spirit of Achievement" award at the DORS awards dinner at the Collinsville Holiday Inn.

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Entertainment

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RAGTIME: Max Morath, entertainer and music historian, will present an evening of ragtime music — "Living a Ragtime Life" — during Belleville Area College's Annual Dinner Theatre, at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, April 13, in the Granite City Campus Cafeteria, 4950 Maryville Road. Morath has been described as a philosopher of American pop culture with Mark Twain's gift of gab. Tickets are \$12.50 for adults and \$10 for BAC students and senior citizens and may be purchased at the campus or by calling 931-0600 or toll-free 1-800-BAC-5131. Ext. 441. Mastercard and VISA are accepted. Deadline for reservations is April 8. Table reservations for four or more may be made when ordering tickets.



Night sounds

Looking for something to do this weekend?

Bobby's NightClub/Bobby Sox, 6000 Old Collinsville Road, Fairview Heights, 632-6041. Performing: Cowboys, April 5 and 6.

Club Bobalou, 1600 Lebanon Ave., Belleville, 235-8223. Performing: Prime Time, April 5 and 6.

Columbia City Saloon, Illinois 3 and Valmeyer Road, Columbia, 281-9915. Performing: Those Guys, April 5 and 6.

Dundee's, 6401 West Main, Belleville, 398-6979. Performing: Jim Callahan, April 5 and 6.

Good Tymes Saloon, 200 N. Main St., Duplo, 236-9693. Performing: No Respect, April 5 and 6.

Pop's, 401 Monsanto Ave., Sauget, 274-6720. Performing: Street Corner, April 3; Cagney, April 4 to 6; Project 3, April 7 to 9.

Remington's, Illinois 111 and Interstate 270, Pontoon Beach, 797-0080. Performing: Jim Bolen and his 18-piece band, April 7.

S & P Oyster Co., Illinois 159, Fairview Heights, 234-3000. Performing: Mickey Porter, April 5 and 6.

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Sequels now out, originality in

By Harry Hamm
Correspondent

Bolstered by indications that the current recession will have abated by this summer, movie studios and film exhibitors are bracing for what they hope will be a strong summer at the box office.

And the major difference between this year and last is the replacement of sequels with a different type of film product.

"There appear to be a lot of good, original, quality films for the summer," said Doug Whitford, film buyer for Wehrenberg Theaters. Some of the anticipated summer hits are "Backdraft," an action-adventure about fire fighters opening Memorial Day weekend; "What About Bob?," a comedy starring Bill Murray and Richard Dreyfus, opening at about the same time; "Naked Gun 2½½," opening June 28; "City Slickers," with Billy Crystal and Daniel Stern; "Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves," starring Kevin Costner, opening July 12; and "The Rocketeer," an action-adventure from Disney about a daredevil pilot in 1938 who finds an experimental rocket pack that enables him to fly; opening June 21.

For the past week were:
For AMC: "Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles II," "The Silence of the Lambs," "New Jack City," "Class Action" and "Guilty By Suspicion."
For Wehrenberg: "Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles II," "The Silence of the Lambs," "Class Action," "The Hard Way" and "New Jack City."

AMC upgrades "Dances" "In the wake of the selection of "Dances With Wolves" as Best Picture at the Academy Awards ceremony Monday, AMC has announced it has moved the film

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